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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF: **PAUL E. ARRASMITH ET AL.**

SERIAL NO.: 09/828,953

FILED: April 10, 2001

FOR: IMPELLER FOR ROTARY SLICING MACHINE

GROUP ART UNIT: 3724

EXAMINER: Omar Flores Sanchez

ATTY. REFERENCE: ARPA003/JEK/JC

**THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS**  
Washington, D.C. 20231

*Sir:*

Transmitted herewith is a **RESPONSE** in the above-identified application.

Small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is claimed.  
 No additional fee is required.

The fee, if any, has been calculated as shown below:

Fee Basis	Number of Claims After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	Small Entity	Full Fee
Total Claims	-	<sup>1</sup>	<sup>3</sup> =	$\times \$ 9 =$	$\times \$ 18 =$
Independent Claims	-	<sup>2</sup>	<sup>3</sup> =	$\times \$ 42 =$	$\times \$ 84 =$
<input type="checkbox"/> First Presentation of Proper Multiple Dependent Claim				$+ \$140 =$	$+ \$280 =$
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DATE: February 26, 2003

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